

FENCE CLIP LOCKING TOOL

Abstract

A fence clip locking tool for bending a wire clip to secure a fencing wire to a fence post includes an elongated rod and an angularly projecting handle. The elongated rod includes an arcuate portion for engaging the wire clip. The handle includes a center shaft, a rotatable handle cover and an end cap for retaining the cover in a longitudinally fixed position relative to the shaft. A method of using the tool includes inserting the rod through a loop opening defined by the pre-positioned clip and swinging the rod from an initial position to a final position.